



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re
Application of: Hugh Trout, et al.

Serial No.: 10/614,782 Examiner: B. Pantuck

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For: DELIVERY APPARATUS FOR USE DURING A SURGICAL
 PROCEDURE AND METHOD OF USING THE SAME

Attorney Docket #: 23660-00654

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Office Action dated June 14, 2004, Applicants submit the following amendment and remarks. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Applicants remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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